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COMANCHE, COMANCHE COUNTY, TEXAS, APRIL 9, 1926.

GAS IN COMANCHE BY SEPT. 1ST

FREEZE RESULTS REVIEWED BY COUNTY AGENT

Only about ten to twenty per cent of the peach crop survived the freeze last week is the belief based on reports received and investigations made by County Agent Barton. H. F. Short of De Leon, who has one of the largest peach orchards in the county, and who had a large production of peaches last year, believes that his peach crop is practically all killed.

The pear crop, it is stated, is not much damaged and there are some plums left. Berries are hurt but slightly, and the grapes, also are not hurt very much.

Corn as a whole is all right, the county agent states, though in places where there were poor stands it will have to be planted over.

Some injury was done to the water melons that were planted. However the best time for planting is said to be from April 18 to 20, and there is plenty of time therefore for replanting where replanting is necessary. More water melon seed were ordered by Mr. Barton, acting for the Chamber of Commerce, Tuesday.

Pecans were considerably damaged by the freeze, though a thorough investigation has not been made and the extent of the damage can not be ascertained.

While the freeze did considerable damage its results were not entirely on the wrong side of the ledger. There are a few items to its credit, Mr. Barton states. It mellowed up the ground, and it killed back young crops of grass and weeds that were coming on in the fields.

Confederate Coin Price is Raised

J. R. Eanes received this week from H. N. Randolph of Atlanta, Ga. president of the Stone Mountain Confederate Monumental Association the following statement:

The board of directors of the Stone Mountain Confederate Monumental Association at their regular meeting February 24, unanimously adopted a resolution increasing the selling price of Confederate Memorial Half-Dollars from one dollar to two dollars to take effect April 15th, and directing me as their President to give the widest possible notice of their action to the people of the South.

These coins will become increasingly valuable as time goes on, and the present advance in the selling price very likely will be followed in a few months by a second advance.

Work of Pupils Exhibited at Sipe Springs School

Reports have been received of a very interesting school exhibit and Easter egg hunt at Sipe Springs last Friday. The work of the vocational training departments of the Sipe Springs school that was on exhibit in Comanche during the county track meet was placed on exhibit at the school house and to them was added many other things not shown here. Many of the patrons of that district visited the exhibit during the day, and all were highly pleased with it.

The Sipe Springs teachers are: Prof. Roberson, superintendent Miss Mary Hope Westbrook, Miss Merle Williams, Mrs. Jewell McKimie, Miss Jimmie Maples and Prof. Sturts.

We can haul any of your loads light or heavy. Phil Burks and Son Phone 502.

HOUSEKEEPER WANTED.—Girl to do house work, at once Ridge-way Hotel.

Durham, Lee and Jacobs Elected City Aldermen

N. N. Durham, C. F. Jacobs, and J. A. Lee were elected aldermen in the city election Tuesday. Messrs. Durham and Lee will be new members of the council, while Mr. Jacobs was re-elected to that position. The members succeeded J. W. McCollum whose term is now expiring, and W. G. Dingus, who moved from the city a few months ago.

There were 269 votes cast Tuesday, the vote standing as follows: C. F. Jacobs 157, J. A. Lee 142, N. N. Durham 232, J. W. McCollum 133, E. E. Denny 138.

Mercer Buys Brown And Edwards Garage

A. P. Mercer has bought the Brown and Edwards garage, and will continue the business at the same location.

Cunningham With McGlothlin Shop

L. B. Cunningham has entered into partnership with J. E. McGlothlin in the barber shop on the east side of the square.

COMANCHE BAND WINS PRAISE ON BROWNWOOD TRIP

The Comanche Lions were invited to furnish the entertainment program at the automobile show at Brownwood Tuesday night, and complied by having the Comanche band, the official Lions Club band of Texas, to furnish a musical program.

The band was accompanied to Brownwood by Lions J. R. Eanes, R. A. Luker, Ben F. Hearn and N. P. Wilkinson, each of whom took his car and furnished transportation for some of the band boys.

Members of the band and the Comanche Lions all report a very pleasant trip and say that Brownwood is putting on a fine automobile show, and reports come of many compliments passed on the Comanche musicians. The Brownwood Bulletin Wednesday afternoon said:

"The Lions Club of Comanche was in charge of musical features of the program Tuesday night and the Comanche band or Lions band which is the official band of the Lions organization of Texas, furnished some very fine music. This is regarded as one of the best bands in Central West Texas. It has fine personnel, fine leadership, and is well qualified to play anywhere, any time. This band will go to the State convention of the Lions at Houston, and of course the Lions of Brownwood will get behind any assistance the band may need to go to the big South Texas city and put on a musical program that will be a credit not only to this part of Texas but to the entire state.

"Lion president, Ned Robertson, rattled his cowbell promptly on time last night, and introduced Mayor Eanes of Comanche, who thanked the Lions Club of Brownwood and the citizens of Brownwood generally for the courtesy extended to Comanche people to visit the West Texas Automobile Show. Mayor Eanes spoke briefly and in turn introduced Judge R. A. Luker, who praised the Automobile Show, said he hoped it would be a permanent feature and declared that speaking for Comanche he was delighted to have the privilege of doing his bit towards making it a success, and he felt quite sure it would be a great success."

Watch our windows for hardware 3 c. bargains.—Durham Bros.

FRANCHISE WAS GRANTED TO MOORE AND PATTEN OF CROSS PLAINS BY CITY WEDNESDAY

The City Council Wednesday afternoon granted a franchise to Moore and Patten of Cross Plains for putting in gas in Comanche, under contract that the gas is to be ready for distribution to the consumers by September 1.

Work will be started at once it is stated.

TO SHOOT WELL TODAY

It was the intention of the drillers to give the third shot to the Powers well with 300 quarts of nitro glycerine, but could not get ready for it.

It will be shot today, it is stated.

White Point Revival Begins Next Sunday

Rev. J. L. Ray, the pastor, announces that a revival meeting will begin at White Point next Sunday, April 11. Rev. J. D. Smoot will do the preaching.

Meeting to Organize Legion Auxiliary

J. B. Allcorn, commander of the Rector Cunningham Post American Legion, states that a meeting will be held here Friday, April 16, at the Presbyterian church at 3 p. m., to organize a Legion Auxiliary. Mrs. M. W. Armstrong, state president, will be here to organize the Auxiliary. All eligible are invited to join.

W. B. Payne Is Called By Death

W. B. Payne died suddenly at his home in this city Saturday afternoon. He had been in bad health for quite a while but was able to be down town Wednesday and his condition gave no indication that the end was so near until within a few minutes before his death.

Funeral services were conducted at Oakwood cemetery Sunday afternoon by the Odd Fellows lodge, of which order Mr. Payne had been an esteemed and prominent member for many years. Rev. J. M. Wynne, pastor of the Methodist church, of which church deceased was a member, assisted in the services. A large crowd of friends attended the funeral and the grave was completely covered under a bank of beautiful flowers.

Mr. Payne was 68 years old and had lived in Comanche seventeen years, coming here from Mt. Pleasant. He was reared at Mt. Pleasant, and had a wide and intimate acquaintance among many prominent East Texas men. When the Hon. J. M. Nelson of Sulphur Springs opened his campaign for attorney general of Texas in Comanche two years ago, he requested that Mr. Payne introduce him on that occasion, they, having been life long friends.

"Dad" Payne, as he was affectionately known by his friends, was loved and esteemed by the older people and children alike. He is survived by his wife and two sons, S. S. Payne of Comanche, and James Payne of Mt. Pleasant, to whom the sympathy of many friends is extended in their bereavement.

M. Atwood is open for business in Mrs. Lindsey's building, east side square, next door to Dudley's Tire Service.

Mr. C. O. Moore and T. E. Patten are the same men who are now putting gas in Stephenville and Duolin. They are known to be amply able to carry out all contracts.

The contract for gas now is that Moore and Patten not only bring it to the city, but will put in their own distribution plant.

The price for domestic gas is placed at \$1.00 with 10 per cent discount when bills are paid before the 10th, for the first three years, after which it is to be 90 cents with 10 per cent discount.

Gas for industrial purposes will have a maximum rate of 35cents.

Messrs. Moore and Patten give assurance that they are entirely independent of any of the larger corporations and that they will be thoroughly identified with the town and its interests.

Mrs. Bessie Jackson Dies at Paint Rock

Mrs. Tom F. Jackson, remembered by many Comanche friends as Miss Bessie Franklin, died at her home at Paint Rock Sunday night. She was the daughter of the late J. J. Franklin and Mrs. Franklin of Comanche, her mother living here at this time. She taught school in and near Comanche a few years after reaching young womanhood, but soon after her marriage to T. F. Jackson over twenty-five years ago moved to Paint Rock, where she taught with her husband in the school for several years, and where their home has been ever since.

She is survived by her husband, and by one son, Ernest Jackson, a member of the faculty of the South-West Texas Normal at San Marcos, who with his wife and baby was with her when she passed away.

She is survived also by her mother and three sisters, Mrs. Rena McDaniel of Woodward, Okla., Mrs. Elbert Ramsey of Santo, Texas, and Mrs. D. K. Doyle of Comanche, and by one brother, Beeman Franklin, of San Antonio. Mrs. McDaniel and Mrs. Doyle were with her when the end came, and Mrs. Ramsey spent a week with her only a short time before.

Missionary Program By Men of Church

A missionary program was held by the men of the First Baptist church last Friday night with a good attendance. The following program was carried out:

Song led by W. D. Jenkins. Scripture lesson by H. R. Jones, Isaiah 6, 1 to 8 inclusive.

Prayer by W. T. House.

Primacy of Missions, discussed by G. E. Smith and Hill Huddleston.

Song led by W. D. Jenkins.

How should our contributions be apportioned, by E. E. Anthony, C. P. St. Clair, G. W. Jessup.

General discussion.

Remarks by pastor.

Song led by W. D. Jenkins.

Closing prayer, E. H. Jones.

Ex-Service Men.

A special meeting of all ex-service men will be held Tuesday, April 13, in the office of Jessup and Allcorn.

House, Littlejohn Adams and Anthony Chosen Trustees

Four places were to be filled by the school trustee election in Comanche Saturday, the terms of W. T. House, J. B. Moody and H. R. Jones expiring and there being one vacancy on the board caused by the resignation of C. A. Greene. Eight names were on the ticket and the four elected were W. T. House, J. W. Littlejohn, F. E. Adams, and E. E. Anthony. There were 416 votes cast. The vote was as follows: W. T. House 337, J. W. Littlejohn 248, F. E. Adams 247, E. E. Anthony 212, J. B. Moody 188, C. M. Edmondson 170, W. R. Slider 158, A. J. Blevins 152.

Baptist Workers Meet at Gustine

The Workers' Conference of the Baptist church was held at Gustine Tuesday with a good attendance from the different churches of the county. Dr. Forrest Maddox, Wm. Reese and N. E. Palmer represented the Comanche church. An interesting program was carried out.

The ladies of the Gustine church served an elegant dinner at noon.

At the previous Workers' Conference Rev. Walter Scott was extended a call to be county missionary for this county, but at this meeting the call was declined by Rev. Scott, and the place is yet to be filled.

While Rev. Scott is at present making his home in Brownwood, he is still serving two Comanche county churches, giving half time to Gustine and one-fourth time to Hasse.

The next Workers' Conference will be at Proctor on Tuesday after the first Sunday in May.

Meeting Began at Gustine Sunday

A revival meeting was begun at the Baptist church at Gustine last Sunday by the pastor, Rev. Walter Scott, assisted by Rev. Whatley of Brownwood.

BAND CONCERT AT MERCER GAP SUNDAY 3 P. M.

The Comanche American Legion Band will give a concert at Mercers Gap Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

The band will leave Comanche at 2 o'clock, and it is expected that a large number of Comanche citizens will accompany them and enjoy the concert with their neighbors of Mercer Gap and other communities. Citizens who have extra room in their cars will confer a favor by notifying the band, in order to make sure that all the band boys have a way provided for their going.

This concert will be the first of the series of community concerts, which was planned to begin several weeks ago. Owing to continued unfavorable weather and sickness the concerts could not be begun at date first named. Quite a number of communities have now sent in invitations for the band to visit them. Director Campbell and the officials believe that the proper way to list the engagements is to go first to these communities originally asking for and booked for the entertainments and to work out a schedule for other communities to follow as early as possible. Accordingly, the concert will be given at Mercer Gap Sunday afternoon, and Hasse and Hebron will be the next to be visited. The date for these will be announced later.

Among the communities that have asked for band concerts are Energy, Gustine, Sidney and Comyn.

C. C. OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS ARE RE-ELECTED

Officers and directors of the Comanche Chamber of Commerce were all re-elected at the meeting last Friday night and six new directors added to the board.

Following the re-election of E. E. Anthony as secretary for the ensuing year, a motion was offered by J. R. Eanes and adopted unanimously thanking Mr. Anthony for his work of the past year and expressing appreciation of the same.

Discussion of good roads work and other matters of general interest occupied the time of the meeting, aside from the election.

Officers and directors of the organization now are: T. R. Holmsley, president; W. R. Slider, vice president; E. E. Anthony, secretary; Directors: F. E. Adams, Wm. Chilton, M. Coleman, C. F. Denny, N. N. Durham, J. R. Barry, J. R. Eanes, T. R. Holmsley, J. P. Kearby, R. A. Luker, P. K. Mackey, H. E. Moore, N. H. Payne, W. R. Slider, C. P. St. Clair, S. P. Smith, G. E. Smith, J. F. Tate, J. D. Waring, T. J. Williams, W. H. Carpenter, W. M. Durham, H. L. Stewart, K. L. Macon, E. A. Thompson, J. B. Allcorn, J. D. Slack.

Literary Critic of News Reviews "Golden Mirage"

The literary page of the Dallas News Sunday, March 21 gave the following review of "The Golden Mirage," by Merton L. Harris, native Comanche and a resident of Comanche until moving to Smithville a few years ago.

In "The Golden Mirage" Merton L. Harris, another native Texan writer made his debut in the field of fiction. Special interest attaches to this novel of the oil industry because of the intimate connection of the author with its legal aspect. Harris is a graduate of the University of Texas, a young lawyer of a decade's practice in Central Texas, and is at present District Attorney at Smithville, with an enviable record as a successful prosecutor.

The author's knowledge of the milieu of "The Golden Mirage" was gained at first hand as an attorney in the oil bonanza that have brought the country around Stephenville, Eastland Breckenridge, Comanche and Ranger to the attention of the wildcat as well as the more firmly entrenched companies. Oil men have found no flaws in his technical description of the progress of drilling and the disappointments and successes of shooting a well.

It is this fact that supplies the real interest of "The Golden Mirage," which otherwise assumes the straightforward narrative form of a story that employs most of the age-old devices of plot structure with the thread of its love story interrupted here and there by knotty problems that will finally be straightened out in the inevitable happy ending, when the villains will be confounded, the lovers headed for a honeymoon and the comic relief roles left in their characteristic attitudinizing to a chorus of "begorras" and "bejabbers."

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COTTON GROVE

M. V. Garner and son, Gerald of Merkel were visiting here Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. Paul Stallings and daughter, Marguerite of Gulf, Texas, and Mrs. Gilbert Armstrong and Genetha Gilbert of Houston are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Bolin.

Mrs. John Goforth and son, Odie of Desdemona, visited John McEntire and family from Friday until Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Bolin entertained with a musical Friday night.

Stile McEntire and two sisters, Golda and Delna, spent Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bain of Fleming.

Mr. and Mrs. Drewery Hall and children of Sidney attended the musical at Jess Bolin's Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. John McEntire went to Brownwood Saturday to see their son who is in the sanatorium there. They found him doing as well as could be expected.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Hilliard spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ben Godfrey.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Johnson gave the young people a candy making Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Carter visited Mr. and Mrs. Sam Carter of Bibb Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Miller visited Mr. and Mrs. Grissom of Comanche Sunday.

Uncle Mose Anderson of White Point visited his daughter, Mrs. George Masters, Wednesday.

Mrs. Willie Glasgow spent Saturday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Randal of Comanche.

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Mar. 29—Mrs. Jess Harris of near Brushy Gap passed quietly away on Thursday night at 9 o'clock after several weeks illness with pneumonia. She leaves a husband and seven children, an aged father and mother and six brothers and three sisters to mourn her loss. Mrs. Harris was a host of friends and relatives to mourn her departure. Mrs. Harris was reared in our community and was loved by all who knew her, and our hearts are sad by her passing away. She was laid to rest Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

We are sorry to learn that I. E. Osborne is very sick with pneumonia at this writing, and his wife has the flu. We trust that both will soon be better.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Moody died the 19th of March and was laid to rest in Newburg cemetery the 20th. Mr. and Mrs. Moody have the sincere sympathy of their many friends.

Mrs. Norma Irby of Stiles is visiting her aunts, Mrs. J. W. Reese of Comanche and Mrs. Jay Cunningham of this place, and her sister-in-law, Mrs. Lee Maples.

Mr. and Mrs. Rube Couch spent Sunday with Sam Mayes' family of near Comanche.

Jack Cunningham of Lubbock and three brothers, E. I. of Stiles, Texas, Aaron, of Forney, Texas, Will of Dallas, also three sisters, Mrs. Johnson, Mrs. Martin and Mrs. Callaway, were here to attend the funeral of their sister, Mrs. Jess Harris, on March 28th.

Mr. J. T. Moody and daughter, Miss Bessie of Comanche visited his son, Floyd Sunday.

Miss Franks, Miss Couch and Miss Jones of Gustine, spent the week end with Ethel McDonald.

Ben Steele of Sidney spent Saturday night with Clifton Vines.

Laverta Swann, Etha Black and Vera Reese spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Preston Williams of Comanche.

Little Imogene Creek of near Comanche spent the week end with J. A. Reese and family.

EIM GROVE

Mar. 28.—Our Sunday school still progressing nicely, we would be glad to have you with us.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Woolsey of Indian Creek spent Saturday night with Mr. Woolsey's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Woolsey.

Mr. Dan Hurt was the dinner guest of Mr. Raymond Woolsey Sunday.

Rev S. D. Hurt and Leroy Woolsey spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hurt of White Point.

Several from our school attended the county meet the 26th and 27th, and the fortunate ones were Virginia Hall, Junior, and Imogene Dunlap, Senior, in the declamations.

Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Payne spent Monday evening with Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Hurt.

Messrs. Troy Mimms and Wayne Woolsey were the dinner guests of Mr. Arvil Houck Sunday.

Messrs. David Woolsey and Wesley Hurt were the dinner guests of Mr. George Reed Sunday.

Misses Janie and Alice Reed and Minnie Ferrell spent Sunday with Miss Annie Taylor.

Misses Ora and Ova Hurt spent Saturday night and Sunday night with their sister, Mrs. Robert Reed.

Miss Treva Payne spent Friday and Saturday night with her sister, Mrs. J. E. Hurt of White Point.

Miss Gorda Hurt was the dinner guest of Misses Golda and Neva Payne Sunday.

BIBB

The farmers of this community are getting along nicely. They are counting on a big crop this year, as we have had lots of winter rains.

Miss Bellah Stokes and Miss Tressie Dixon spent this week end with home folks in Comanche.

Mr. Bob Robertson visited Mr. R. T. Jaynes Sunday.

Several of the young folks attended the party at Olie Chandler's Tuesday night.

Some few of the boys of this community are working on the pipe line that is going through from Comyn to Big Lake.

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Miss Laura Robertson of Comanche visited in this community Sunday.

Miss Menie May Flippo visited Miss Frances Summers Sunday.

Mr. George Wilson from West Texas was visiting old friends in this place Sunday.

Miss Jewel Taylor visited Misses Lula and Sarah Drennan Sunday.

Miss Tressie Dixon moved to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jones, last week.

Mr. Jake Fielder and Miss Ila Jones visited their sister Mrs. Ila Cox Monday.

Singing was well attended Sunday night and we invite all to come back and bring someone with them every Sunday night.

BREEDERS NOTICE

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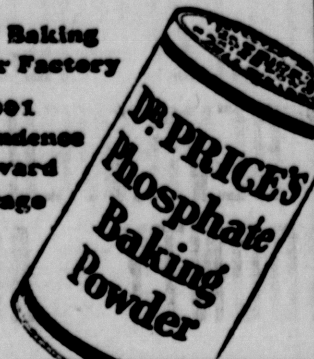
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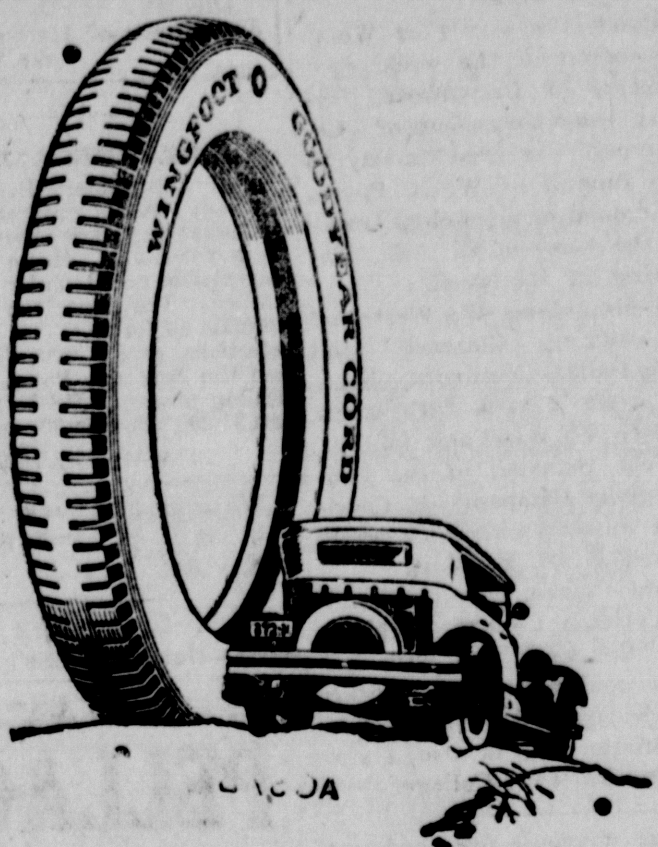
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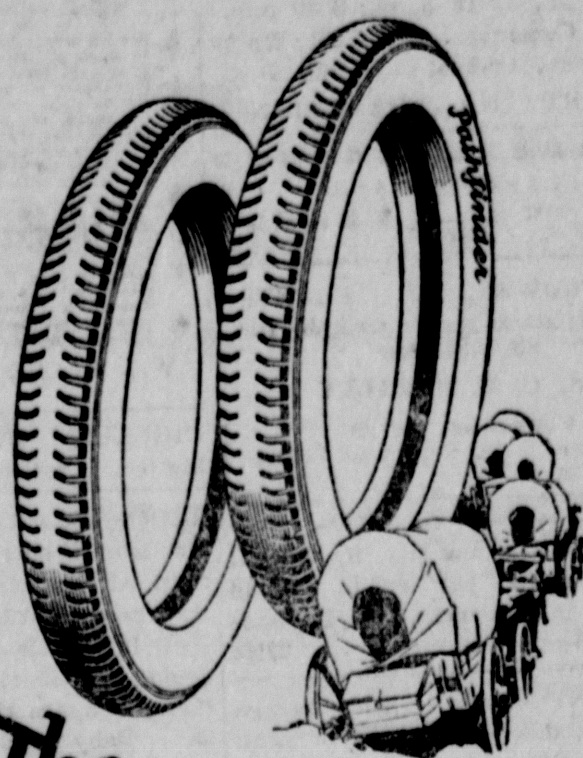
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To the Sheriff or any Constable of Comanche County, Greeting:
You are hereby commanded, that you summon by making publication of this citation in some newspaper published in the County of Comanche if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in the nearest county where a newspaper is published, once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, Stewart Pipkin, if living, and if deceased, his unknown heirs; W. R. Pipkin, if living, and if deceased, his unknown heirs; S. W. Pipkin, if living, and if deceased, his unknown heirs; the unknown heirs of John Gray, if living, and if deceased, his unknown heirs of any such one or ones; Lewis Durr, if living, and if deceased, the unknown heirs of any such one or ones; and Thomas, Simmons & Levy, formerly of New Orleans, La., if living, and if deceased, the legal representatives of all of the above named, all of whose residence is unknown, who are defendants, to be and appear before the Honorable District Court, Texas, on the 19th day of April, 1926, at the Court House thereof in Comanche, Texas, to answer a petition filed in said Court, on the 5th day of March, A. D. 1926, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court, No. 7215, wherein J. M. McCray and W. S. Price are plaintiffs, and Stewart Pipkin, if living, and if deceased, his unknown heirs; W. R. Pipkin, if living, and if deceased, his unknown heirs; S. W. Pipkin, if living, and if deceased, his unknown heirs; the unknown heirs of John Gray, if living, and if deceased, the unknown heirs of any such one or ones; Lewis Durr, if living, and if deceased, the unknown heirs of any such one or ones; and the legal representatives of all of the above named, being as follows, to-wit:
Suit of trespass to try title for the recovery of the 320-acre Stewart Pipkin tract, in Comanche county, Texas, Abstract No. 768, patented to Stewart Pipkin, June 11th, 1850, by Patent No. 602, Vol. 5, as shown of record in Vol. A. P. 150, deed records of Comanche county, Texas.

Plaintiffs specially plead title by limitation of three, five and ten years, under the Revised Statutes of Texas, and pray for recovery of title and possession of said entire survey.
Herein fail not, and have you before said Court, on the said first day of the next term thereof, this Writ with your endorsement thereon, showing how you have executed the same.
Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Comanche, Texas, this 5th day of March, A. D. 1926.
W. H. GORE, Clerk,
District Court, Comanche County, Texas.
(29-30-31-32-33)

CITATION BY PUBLICATION.

THE STATE OF TEXAS.
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Comanche County, Greeting:
You are hereby commanded, that you summon by making publication of this citation in some newspaper published in the County of Comanche, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in the nearest county where a newspaper is published, once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, Duke of Dublin Oil Company, an unincorporated association, and F. A. Weiser and C. H. Homes, its trustees, and Harris Consolidated Petroleum Corporation, a corporation, to be and appear before the Honorable District Court, at the next regular term thereof, to be held in the County of Comanche, Texas, on the 19th day of April, A. D. 1926, at the Court House thereof in Comanche, Texas, to answer a petition filed in said Court, on the 15th day of March, A. D. 1926, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court, No. 7217, wherein F. C. Wagon and wife, said S. W. 1-4 of said Sec. No. 56 which 73 acres is fully described in an oil and gas lease in Book 125, p. 111, Deed Records of Comanche county, Texas, and being a part of said 73 acre tract described as follows: Beginning in the E. line of said 73 acre tract for S. E. corner of this at a point which is N. E. corner of a 5 acre tract assigned by Mor-

ris & Pool to Homer Peoples; thence N. with said E. line 117.5 vrs. for N. E. corner of this; thence W. parallel with S. line of said 73 acre tract for N. W. corner of this; thence S. with W. line of said 73 acre tract 117.5 vrs. to the N. W. corner of a 9.3 acre tract assigned to J. W. Small for S. W. corner of this; thence E. with N. line of Small & Peoples tract to the place of beginning.
And alleging that there are four producing oil wells on said ten acres, which are fully equipped with casing, tubing, sucker rods, cylinders, jacks, pumps, engines, derricks, flow lines, tanks, and other property such as is usual and customary for the equipment of oil wells in the Sipe Springs shallow field, there being three galvanized iron tanks of 100 barrels capacity each, all of which said property appurtenant to said land and to said oil wells thereon and are fixtures and attached to the realty and a part and parcel thereof.

Plaintiffs pray for judgment for the title and possession of said lands and all rights therein surface and mineral, and said oil wells and all equipment therein and on said land, and for general and special relief.
Herein fail not, and have you before said Court, on the said first day of the next term thereof, this Writ with your endorsement thereon, showing how you have executed the same.
Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Comanche, Texas, this 15th day of March, A. D. 1926.
District Court, Comanche County, Texas.
(30-31-32-33)

NOTICE IN PROBATE.

THE STATE OF TEXAS.
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Comanche County, Greeting:
You are hereby commanded to cause to be published once each week for a period of ten days before the return day hereof, in a newspaper of general circulation, which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year in said Comanche County, a copy of the following notice:
To all persons interested in the estate of D. M. Folkner, deceased, W. T. Nunally has filed an application in the County Court of Comanche County, on the 10th day of March, 1926, for the Discharge of Administrator of the estate of D. M. Folkner, deceased, which said application will be heard at the next term of said Court, commencing on the first Monday day of April, A. D. 1926, the same being the 5th day of April, 1926, at the Court House of said county, in Comanche, at which time all persons interested in said Estate, are required to appear and answer said application, should they desire to do so.
Herein fail not, but have you before said Court, on the first day of the next term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.
Witness my hand and official seal, at Comanche, Texas, this 23 day of March, 1926.
J. H. LITTLEJOHN, Clerk,
County Court, Comanche County, Texas.
(31-32-33)

FRIENDS

and former customers; we have bought the W. O. Moore blacksmith shop off the northwest corner of the square. We will be pleased to have you call on us for work. We will give special attention to horse-shoeing. — Will Irby, Bud New-some.

MILK COOLERS—and milk pans.
—Elkins Tin Shop.

SMILES BY MILES



THERE WAS A YOUNG LADY FROM NILES



HER FACE WAS ALL COVERED WITH SMILES



WHEN FOLKS ASKED HER "WHY"



SHE MADE THIS REPLY



"I'M TAKING NERVINE MADE BY MILES!"



VANDYKE

April 7th.—We are in receipt of the seasons first overflow for this vicinity, which arrived yesterday afternoon at about 3 o'clock. We have a good season, yes the ground is wet.

Several from here enjoyed first Monday in Comanche, and especially our "Sons of Rest."

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Nabers, Mrs. J. E. Maret, Rev. Jess Tiner, Walter Grigsby and family and Prof. Singleton attended the Workers' Convention at the Baptist Church at Gustine yesterday.

The primary school children of this place took their dinner and scampered down on Duncan, in Mrs. Hammond's pasture Friday, where they enjoyed a most pleasant outing.

The Freewill Sunday school had an egg hunt for the little ones Sunday.

Rev. Jess Tiner spent the latter part of last week in Hood county visiting some places familiar to his childhood days some twenty years ago.

Our Sunday schools are picking up since the arrival of spring. We had splendid crowds at Sunday school and church last Sunday, also at singing in the afternoon.

The fruit crop in this vicinity was considerably thinned out by the recent freeze, however it is impossible to tell as yet just what percentage is killed. Some of the farmers that had their corn planted are getting a stand while the most of them planted over.

Guthrie's Repair Shop will save you money on that auto repair job.

\$5.00 Prize Starts Red Grange on His Winning Career



The above is the picture of No. 77 Red Grange, first prize cockerel of the Sixth District Red Meet held in San Antonio in January, 1926. This prize winner was bred and is owned by R. L. Riley of Comanche.

Along with the picture, Mr. Riley gave the Chief the following statement:

"This cockerel is the bird that captured the Comanche Chief's grand champion prize of \$5.00 in the Comanche Poultry Show in November. He also won first prize at the big Brownwood show in December.

"The Chief was one of the main factors in bringing to light the wonderful qualities of this bird; for if it had not been for the co-operation of the Chief there would have been no poultry show in Comanche. The \$5.00 prize was instrumental in sending this bird to Brownwood and thence to San Antonio.

"This bird is valued at \$200.00, while the little red pullet in the picture has a value that cannot be written with figures."

JUST ARRIVED—Big shipment of wall paper. Many patterns to choose from. We have better than a mail order price on this paper. H. H. HARDIN.
31tf

Carbon, for tracing patterns, etc. 19x26 inches—The Chief.

JOB PRINTING

We do your job printing when and as you like it—Get Our Prices. The Comanche Chief.
31tf

We carry in stock Avery repair parts—Durham Bros.



BRING A FRIEND TO CHURCH

THE BIBLE.

YESTERDAY—

JOHN QUINCY ADAMS: "The first and almost only book deserving of universal attention is the Bible. I speak as a man of the world to men of the world, and I say unto you, 'Search the Scriptures.'"

WILLIAM E. GLADSTONE: "There is but one question and that is the Gospel. It can and will correct everything that needs correcting. My only hope of the world is to bring the human mind into contact with divine revelation."

JOHN WESLEY: "O give me that book! At any price, give me that book of God. Here is knowledge enough for me. Let me be a man of one book."

WILLIAM JENNINGS BRYAN: "For nineteen hundred years the battle between the spiritual and material conceptions of life has raged around the Bible. 'Search the Scriptures,' was the command of Christ, and to the Scriptures the Christian world has turned ever since for authority."

TODAY

CALVIN COOLIDGE: "If American Democracy is to remain the greatest hope of humanity it must continue abundantly in the faith of the Bible."

PROF. W. L. PHELPS, Yale University: "I thoroughly believe in a university education for men and women, but I believe a knowledge of the Bible without a college course is more valuable than a college course without the Bible."

HOWARD A. KELLY, M. D. Scientist: "The intimate experiences of life have shown me that the Bible is a living word, just as definitely God's word to me, as a letter received in the morning mail from my mother to me personally."

FOREVER—

"Heaven and Earth shall pass away but My Words shall not pass away."—Matt. 24:35.

First Methodist Church

Burt's Grocery

ENABLES YOUR DOLLAR TO BRING HOME MORE

—THE QUALITY IS THE HIGHEST

—THE PRICE THE LOWEST

Roberson Bus Line**SCHEDULES**

Leaves Comanche for Brownwood
9:30 a. m., 12:15 p. m., 6:30 p. m.
Leaves Comanche for Fort Worth
8:50 a. m., 1:50 p. m., 5:05 p. m.
COMFORT AND CONVENIENCE.

CLASSIFIED ADS**CUT FLOWERS AND PLANTS**

Special attention to designs for
all occasions.

MRS. C. E. STRALEY

Comanche, Texas
Plenty of Sweet Peas and Carna-
tions.

FOR SALE—Peasant hay, by bale or
by the ton. \$20 per ton in carload
lot. F. O. B. Comanche.—R. T. Janes
Sidney, Texas. 29tf

FOR RENT—House with garage
barn, lot and well of water in yard.
Near East Side School. J. W. Little-
john. tftf

FOR SALE—White Dent seed corn
3c per pound. Baled maize 40c per
bale, also some good oats. Ed Car-
ter, Democrat Star Route. 30-33p

W. M. REESE DRUG COMPANY
CHICKEN FEEDERS—baby and
big chick feeders.—Elkins Tin Shop
RHODE ISLAND REDS—Eggs from
our trap nested, dark rich cherry
reds. All hens in this pen have high
trap nest records and would do to
show in any show. Eggs \$2.00 per 15.
Seeing is believing. Come and see
them, compare them with anyone's
reds. Baby chicks 20c each. Hatch-
ings each week. Special prices will
be quoted on eggs in incubator lots.
on request.—Martin & Huse, Tele-
phone 190. 24tf

FOR SALE—Ford Coupe, practically
new.—Mark Callaway. 32-33c

HATCHING EGGS FOR SALE—
From my prize winning Rhode
Island Reds. Reduced price. Eggs
from my best mating \$4.00 per set-
ting or \$25.00 per 100. Eggs from
pens 2 and 3, \$2.00 per setting or
\$12.50 per hundred.—Mrs. J. H.
Prater, Comanche, Texas. 30-33c

BLEEDING GUMS! Is the first
indication of pyorrhea. If your tooth
brush shows pink you need AMOSOL
the guaranteed pyorrhea remedy.
It is unconditionally guaranteed to
heal sore, spongy, bleeding and re-
ceding gums, and your money will
be cheerfully refunded if your gums
do not show a decided improvement
after the first application. Amosol
is sold and guaranteed by The Wm.
Reese Drug Co. 30-37

FOR SALE—One foot power lathe,
two engine lathes, 5 and 8 foot beds,
two emery stands, taps and dies, 1-4
to 1-14 right and left, pipe taps 1-4
to 2-12 and dies 1-4 1-4 drills, ream-
ers, etc., boiler tools, blacksmith
set, Coes drill press, hand power,
three vises, test pump and gauge,
600 lbs; two gas engines, pumping;
two clutches, dental and friction,
and various other articles. Age and
health says quit. Tome and see.—I. B.
Brown, 31-34p

TRADE—I have a good 20 acre fruit
and grain farm north-west from Co-
manche land or town property.—D.
A. King, San Benito, Texas, Box No.
935. 31-34c

COTTON SEED—Kasch and Anton
first year seed, well cared for, \$1.50
per bushel.—S. T. Hilliard, Coman-
che, Rt. 2. 31-34p

TANNING SIMPLIFIED—Tools and
materials furnished. Agents wanted.
Cheap, quick way. Samples and proof
sent to any address. Learn this val-
uable trade, we will show you how.
R. N. Gilley, Carlton, Texas. 32-37c

COTTON SEED FOR PLANTING—
100 bushels Anton first year seed,
price \$1.00 per bushel. Sample can
be seen at Edwards Produce Com-
pany.—E. M. Eanes. 32-35p

BREEDERS NOTICE
Have registered jersey bull for
service at City Wagon Yard.—J. F.
Grissom. 32-33p

SPECIAL PRICE ON HAY
To close out immediately 800 bales
Red Top Sorghum and Johnson grass
at 40 cents at barn. If you need hay
get in on this special lot while it
lasts. See me or phone me.—W. C.
Odom. 31tf

NOTICE
We have two brand new W. W.
Kimball pianos, never been unboxed,
benches to match in the vicinity of
Comanche, Texas, that we will sell
at a great reduction rather than re-
ship. Write at once. Terms to suit
you. Also second hand pianos at
prices from \$75 up. Address Fac-
tory Representative, 1011 N. 22nd
St., Waco, Texas. 32-35p

SEED
Nice lot yellow. Crowder Black
Eyed peas and stock peas this week,
also cotton seed for planting, maize,
sorghum, sudan, darso. Fresh line of
groceries at all times. Your trade
appreciated.—E. H. JONES. 31tf

B. F. Avery & Sons' Mr. Bill Plant-
ers at a special price, Durham Bros.

TO TRADE—For well located farm
a fine, well finished two story,
eight room residence; four porches,
bath, gas, brick chimney; 3 acres
on corner, 3 blocks from business
section, concrete walk.—Davis and
Waldrep, Real Estate, Carbon Tex-
as. 33-c

HOUSEKEEPER WANTED—Girl
to do house work, at once Ridge-
way Hotel. 33c

WANTED TO BUY—A few Ban-
tam hens or pullets. What have you?
—M. B. Carter, Chief office.

If It's Cancer you have, come
to me. I have a guaranteed remedy
that never fails; If not your money
back, and your drug bill paid. No
pay until cured.—J. B. Carr, Coman-
che. 33c

FOR RENT—Want to rent half
my house to small family, no small
children. Three large rooms, with
roomy closets, and bath, and priv-
ilege of whole place. Large chick-
en house and barn and storage room,
also nice garden plot.—Mrs. H. J.R.
Gille. 33tf

WANTED—Office desk, see Clark
& McGlothlin. 33c

FOR SALE—Three late model Ford
Roadsters, will trade. See Clark &
McGlothlin. 33c

**\$1.00 FOR A WAGON LOAD OF
BRICK**

We are now moving all brick from
our burned buildings and to do this
promptly will sell you choice at \$1.00
per load—all your team can pull.

As you know some of these brick
are good while some are broken.

Take your choice, but act quickly.
—HIGGINBOHAM'S LUMBER DE-
PARTMENT.

EGGS FOR HATCHING—For bal-
ance of season \$2.00 for 15 or \$5.00
for 75. R. I. Reds.—Roger Hasley,
Cedarvale, Texas. 33-34c

FOR SALE—McGee and Early June
pink tomato plants, ready for trans-
planting, 35c per hundred. Phone
189. 33p

Come in and see the second hand
furniture that I have on hand.—M.
Atwood. 33p

**NOTICE
SHERIFF'S SALE**

The State of Texas, County of Co-
manche.

By virtue of an order of sale is-
sued out of the Honorable District
(68th Judicial District) Court of
Dallas County, on the 23rd day of
March, A. D. 1926, by the Clerk
thereof, in the case of G. G. Wright
receiver, versus A. E. Miles et ux,
No. 57683C, and to me as Sheriff,
directed and delivered, I will pro-
ceed to sell for cash, within the
hours prescribed by law for Sheriff's
Sales, on the first Tuesday in May,
A. D. 1926, it being the 4th day of
said month, before the Court House
door of said Comanche county, in
the town of Comanche, the follow-
ing described property to-wit:

Situated, lying and being in the
county of Comanche, and State of
Texas, and being lots six and seven
in Block twelve in the Higginbotham
Addition to the town of De Leon,
Comanche, County, Texas, as shown
by the map thereof, drawn by R. G.
Armstrong, and recorded in Book
86, page 25, Comanche county deed
Records, to which reference is here
made for a more complete descrip-
tion of same. Levied on as the prop-
erty of A. E. Miles and Roxie A.
Miles to satisfy judgment amounting
to \$1047.80 in favor of G. G. Wright
Receiver, and cost of suit.

Given under my hand this 8th
day of April, A. D. 1926. 33-35
J. T. GILBREATH, Sheriff.

RESIDENCE FOR SALE—Mrs. M.
M. Godbold place across street from
C. M. Moore, formerly occupied by
Karl Tate. A bargain at \$2,000. See
C. M. Moore or Henry Moore. 33

B. F. Avery & Sons' Mr. Bill Plant-
ers at a special price, Durham Bros.

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"For two years I suffered agon-
izing pains in my stomach, belch-
ing up sour and bitter fluids and
gas. Tongue always coated. Doctors
were unable to help me. The first
dose of Mayr's, one dose will con-
vince, made me feel 100 per cent.
better, and I am now feeling better
than at any time in my life. I deem
it my duty to advise other
sufferers." It is a simple, harm-
less preparation that removes the
catarrhal mucus from the in-
testinal tract, and allays the
inflammation which causes practi-
cally all stomach, liver and intesti-
nal ailments, including appendicitis.
One dose will convince or money re-
funded.

M. Atwood wants to get all your
furniture repair work to be done.
Second hand furniture bought and
sold. 33p.

Personal Mention

Miss Mary Townes of Cisco spent
the week end with Mr. and Mrs.
Cyril Greene.

John Donahoe, Danforth Wilkerson
and Miss Neva Huff were here from
S. M. U., Dallas, to spend the Eas-
ter holiday with homefolks.

C. V. Caver was in Dallas on busi-
ness first of the week.

W. L. Randalls was in Fort Worth
on business first of the week.

Mrs. Deeley of Brownwood, former
county superintendent of Co-
manche county, was here Sunday to
attend the funeral of W. B. Payne.
S. W. Edmondson of Roby, Texas,
visited in the home of C. M. Ed-
mondson first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. John W. West and
children, Aubrey, Clarence and
Jaunita, of Dallas, returned home
this week after a visit with their
cousin, W. G. E. West and family.

W. I. West, manager of the Con-
tinental Supply Company of Corsi-
cana, spent Sunday with his parents
Mr. and Mrs. W. G. E. West.

Miss Flora Clarke, who is attend-
ing John Tarleton College, Stephen-
ville, spent the week end with her
parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Clarke.
She was accompanied by Miss Lily
Hale of Bronte, who is also a stu-
dent of John Tarleton College.

Watch our windows for hardware
bargains.—Durham Bros.

Adding machine paper, two rolls
for 25c at The Comanche Chief.

Social Item

Mrs. Jno. D. Waring was hostess
to the Tuesday and Merry Matrons
Bridge Clubs on Saturday afternoon
April, 3rd, honoring Mrs. Jno. D.
Waring, Jr., who is leaving this
week for her new home in Corpus
Christi. Easter motifs featured the
decorations and score cards. After
the usual enjoyable games an ice
course consisting of brick cream and
Angel food and chocolate cake was
served, plate favors being dainty
baskets containing Easter egg can-
dies and mints. Mrs. Bob Stanton
received a pretty vanity for score,
Mrs. Will Carpenter a miniature
Easter bonnet, as consolation. Mrs.
Colquitt Williams in cut for guest
prize received a Korean jardinerie
the honoree was presented a lovely
pearl necklace.

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—GREASED UP
FREE

With each \$5.00 mechanical job
I do for the next two weeks, I
will tighten and grease up your
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I'll give you money on every
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The extraordinary Borosone treatment
for flesh wounds, cuts, sores, galls, burns
and scalds is just as effective in the stable
as in the home. Horse flesh heals with
remarkable speed under its powerful in-
fluence. The treatment is the same for
animals as for humans. First wash out
infectious germs with liquid Borosone,
and the Borosone Powder completes the
healing process. Price (liquid) 30c, 60c
and \$1.20. Powder 30c and 60c. Sold by
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light or heavy. Phil Burks and Son
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We carry in stock Avery repair
parts.—Durham Bros.

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PELLAGRA****AND NOT KNOW IT**

EARLY SYMPTOMS—Nervousness,
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ness of breath, burning feet, con-
stipation, brown or rough skin,
tingling sensations, smothering
spells, diarrhoea, loss of sleep, loss
of weight, dizziness or crawling in
head, general weakness with loss of
energy.

You do not have all these symp-
toms in the beginning, but if you
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"THE STONE OF PELLAGRA" will
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Don't Neglect Your Eyes—

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Suits for Summer

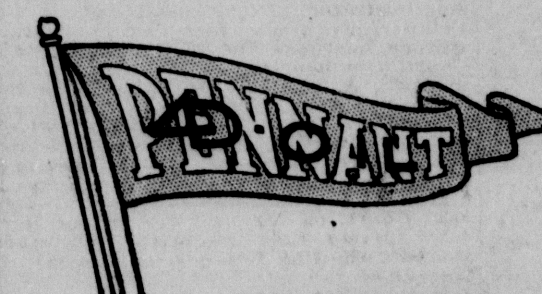
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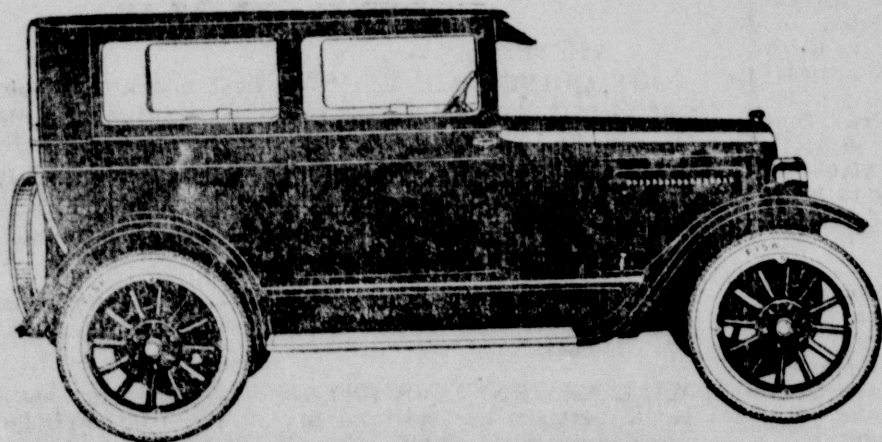
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THE IMPORTANCE OF PLAY

The business man plays golf to give himself needed physical exercise and to get his mind away from the cares of his office. If he sees his young son and several other children playing at hide and seek he will likely think that they are doing it for recreation, too. But the child does not play because he is weary nor because he needs the exercise derived from it. He plays merely for the sake of playing. But he is responding to an instinct that is vital to his full development. "Play is not a luxury, but a necessity; it is the serious business of the child's life; indeed, for young children it is life itself." This statement leads us to consider what play does for the child.

Play is a means of self expression. The child may learn facts by having them repeated to him by others, but it is only through self-activity that he develops his powers, and the greater the freedom in early years the more complete the development.

Play trains the child in decision. In nearly all games the child is confronted with the necessity of making instant decisions and in acting upon them. No occupation in which he can engage in his early years will give him this training so fully as will play.

Play teaches the child self confidence. In his games the child must rely upon himself; in his work he may call upon others for guidance. The game calls for instant personal decision. If the child wishes to rival his playmates he must act upon his own decisions, and continual practice in so doing develops independence.

Play is necessary to health. Health and endurance depend largely upon a full development of the heart and lungs; nothing else contributes so much toward securing this result in children as vigorous play in the open air.

Play trains in co-operation and loyalty. Many games require team work, and success depends upon loyalty to the organization and obedience to the commands of the leader.

Play is Democratic. On the playground native ability is recognized, and all children are given an equal chance.

Parents and teachers alike should introduce new games and assist the pupils in learning. This is especially needed in our rural schools where the play activity is not very well organized. The great value of games is not that thousands shall sit cramped in uncomfortable bleachers in broiling sunshine to see group of overtrained lads, who are often weakened by this overstrain, struggle in a game of foot ball; but that all our youth shall receive, while still attending school, such training as will make for a completely rounded physical development. That this can be done, and a joy and power be added, should be a cause of rejoicing and the efforts of parent and teacher should be united to make our boys and girls stronger, more alert, better able to withstand all enemies of health.

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As Viewed by Indian Lo.

White man come and make up rig, up on hill and start to dig. Injun watches white man toil, thinkum maybe gettum oil. Thinkum driller heap big fool, sets all day on old pine stool. Toolie swingum heap big wrench, then goes to sleep on greasy bench. Night time comes—no go to bed, nother outfit come instear. Never stopum. Work like Hell. That's the way they drillum well. Driller gittum heap big pay, cashum check and go away. Oil still flows in big steel tank, me got money in the bank. Buy a car and break him quick; left the dam thing in the creek. Buy two more and maybe three; one for spaw and two for me. Buy papoose a pair of shoes, spend what's left for wildcat booze, havee good time but go to jail; good friend come and go-sum bail. Banker says my money gone, bye and bye some more come on. That's the way the oil game goes; white man getum Injun blows. Me think driller heap big fool; sets all day on old pine stool.

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TEXAS FARM BUREAU NEWS

A special Farm Bureau Cotton Association radio program has been arranged through the courtesy of the Sears Roebuck Agricultural Foundation R. F. D. Club, to be broadcast from Station WFAA, Dallas, Monday evening, April 12, from 8:30 to 9:30 p. m. Musical numbers have also been provided on the program.

During the broadcasting hour, officials of the Texas Farm Bureau Cotton Association will tell what has been accomplished during its first five years of existence; and plans for the future. From a farmer and business man's interest the program will undoubtedly be one of the most interesting had. Particularly at this season of the year when the minds and attentions of both are focused on cotton production matters, the information that will be given by the speakers will be timely, interesting, educational and instructive.

Farm Bureau members are urged to make up radio parties for this program. They are urged to invite their friends and neighbors in that evening to hear the story of cotton co-operative marketing and the purposes, principles, benefits and accomplishments of the organization which they as host for the evening have helped to set up.

The program will be of interest to you and your family, it will be of interest to your friends and neighbors. Don't keep a good thing to yourself. Share with those around you. What better and more enjoyable importance to you all?

Remember the date—Monday evening, April 12. Remember the hour—8:30 to 9:30 p. m.

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Representative Farm Bureau and Farm Bureau Cotton Association, Comanche, Texas.

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INDIAN MOUNTAIN

April 5.—Health of this community is better at the writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Taylor of Gorman spent Saturday and Sunday with her father and brother, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Maupin.

Miss Pet McDaniel spent the week end with Misses Clara and Annie Chambers.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Roy High spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Chambers and family.

Mrs. A. J. Boen and sons, Joe and John of Ranger, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Chambers and family.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Chambers and family and Mr. Mrs. C. L. Chambers were in Gorman shopping Saturday.

Mrs. Brown and daughter who have been visiting with her son Austin came in Saturday.

Mr. Harvey Chambers and Miss Chambers went to see the oil field Friday at Blake.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Moore spent Saturday night with Mrs. Moore's brother, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Chambers of Gorman.

Ophal Collier spent Sunday with his brother Tommie Collier.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmar Maupin spent Saturday night with Mrs. and Mrs. J. D. Mupin.

Mrs. Pearl Westerman and Mrs. Mert Rasco were in Rising Star shopping Saturday.

Quite a number gathered at W. J. Chambers Sunday afternoon and had a enjoyable Easter hunt.

Miss Marget Jay of Gorman spent Sunday afternoon with Misses Clara and Annie Chambers.

SIDNEY

Mar. 24.—Another nice rain fell here Sunday morning.

The burning of our school building last Wednesday night was a great loss to this community. School will continue in the three churches.

Jim Ayers and son of McLean, visited relatives here from Saturday till Monday.

Mrs. John Jones and Mrs. Fred Johnson were shopping in Comanche Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ramsey of Petoski visiting her sister, Mrs. Jeff Boyd.

V. L. Jackson made a business trip to Fort Worth last week.

Supt. H. L. Gantz, Romee Walker, and W. H. Carpenter of Comanche attended the Sidney school mass meeting Saturday night.

W. F. Bryant of Houston visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Bryant, last week.

K. D. Jones is serving on the Federal jury this week at Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. George Knudson of Blanket visited in the home of J. B. Lacy Tuesday.

Loyd Stapp of Colorado is visiting his sister, Mrs. Jesse Frank Caffey of this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Asbury Redwine visited in Claiborne Sunday.

Mrs. Robert Eaton visited her sister, Mrs. J. B. Lacy, this week.

M. T. Leonard of Sipe Springs had business here Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Bryant were Blanket visitors Tuesday.

TO MY FORMER PUPILS

The following lines were written by Mrs. Bessie Jackson of Paint Rock a short time before her death, and were received by the Chief last week, but too late for publication in that issue.

In long lines before me
You pass me in review
Dear boys and girls that I have taught

And loved and mothered too,
And some among the long lines
Who worked and played with you
Have passed beyond earth's confines
And now are lost to view.

They've only gone before us
Bright beacons on our way
And joined the "Angel chorus"
To welcome us some day.

You hold your worthy places
Among the ranks of men

Your dear familiar faces
Smile back to me again.
You who are fathers, mothers,
With little ones to lead

In right and honest living
Be careful of your creed.
With pride I see you winning
The goals for which you aim

Your efforts in each inning
Will help to win life's game.
May you be always ready
To stand each rigid test

With courage true and steady
Prepare to do your best.
If aught I taught has helped you
Life's victories to gain,

And cheered you in your journey
I have not lived in vain.
Your old teacher, Miss Bessie Franklin Jackson, Paint Rock, Texas.

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19x26 inches—The Chief.

MRS. J. W. HIGGINBOTHAM OF DUBLIN DIES IN DALLAS

The following announcement of the death of Mrs. John W. Higginbotham of Dublin is from the Dallas News of April 7:

"Mrs. J. W. Higginbotham, 62 years old of Dublin, died Tuesday at a local hospital. She was the widow of the late J. W. Higginbotham, and was the sister-in-law of Messrs. R. W. and J. M. Higginbotham of Dallas.

She is survived by a son, Thurman Higginbotham of Lubbock and six daughters, Mrs. John Howe of De Leon Mrs. D. C. Higginbotham of Port Arthur, Mrs. Ray Franks of Dublin, Mrs. Elmer Puls of Dallas, Miss Lorinne Higginbotham, a student in Columbia University, and Miss Mary Higginbotham, who is teaching school at Breckenridge.

"Funeral services will be held Wednesday afternoon at the First Baptist Church at Dublin with the Rev. Gordon Barrett officiating."

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Mrs. J. T. Tucker, Clarksville, gall bladder.

Mrs. J. H. Weiser, Lexington, heart trouble.

R. A. Schuman, New Braunfels, headaches.

Mrs. Henry Wirthorn, Crawford, arthritis.

H. A. Newton, Cross Plains, gall stones.

Mrs. H. D. Brown, Burkburnett, rheumatism.

Mrs. C. T. Kaiser, Humble, gall stones.

H. G. Fenske, Riesel, appendicitis.

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Mar. 29.—Henry Jaynes received a message last week from Vernon, stating the death of his niece, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Aught Jaynes who used to live at this place.

Roy Fielder, Misses Daisy Fielder and Era Hood were in Cisco Wednesday visiting their uncle, W. H. LaRoque and family.

J. A. Moore and son, Alfred have just returned from a trip to Ballinger where they visited Hardie Moore.

L. G. Cleary has returned from a trip to Mexico where he visited his sister, also his cousins Misses Lyttie and Ruby May of Lubbock.

Mrs. H. E. LaRoque received a message of the death of her grandmother, Mrs. Cotton, who was visiting her son, W. C. Cox, of Ralls.

The school is getting up a play, the name of which is "Mammy's Lil' Wild Rose."

Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Atchinson and little son, Earl Joe, and Nig Atchinson were visiting Mr. and Mrs. H. E. LaRoque last week.

Misses Lorene LaRoque and Jessie Hood attended the literary events of the track meet at Comanche Friday.

Misses Era, Artis and Jessie Hood, Lorene LaRoque, Arman Jaynes, Don Welch and David Auvenshine attended the party at Mr. and Mrs. Lee Poteet's at Sipe Springs Saturday night.

Judson Poteet, Gene Rachel, and Tate Robinson of Sipe Springs were visitors in this community Sunday.

Lester Pittman, Floyd Graham, Misses Pearl and Jewell Chambers, Verlyn and Oleta Cox attended singing at Beattie Sunday.

Mr. Robertson and Miss Willie May Huse of Comanche visited Miss Ruth King Sunday.

John Cox who has had a severe foot is able to walk again.

Will May has been very sick with the flu.

Mr. and Mrs. Columbus Pittman spent the week end in Pioneer.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Graham and children were visiting relatives in Pioneer last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Chambers were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Archie Moore of near Gorman last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Steele have returned to their home near Sipe Springs after an extended visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Vines.

SODA SPRINGS

Mar. 30.—Rev. Early of Brownwood filled his regular appointment here Saturday night and Sunday.

Several in this community have had the flu but are improving now. School was dismissed Friday in order that all who wished might attend the track meet.

Miss Neeta Porter visited in Comanche from Thursday until Saturday.

A stew was given at the oil well Saturday for the oil men.

Mrs. Pink Fisher and Mrs. Claude Fisher of near Gustine have been visiting A. H. Gray's family.

Mr. Norval Walker and Miss Neta Porter attended singing at Beattie Sunday afternoon.

A large crowd attended the stew at J. W. Powers' Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Gray and family attended singing at Bibb Sunday night.

The young people enjoyed a party at Earl Carrigan's Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Power and daughter, Ina, visited Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Jones of Fairview Sunday.

Mr. Jim Power and Miss Aurelia Gressett attended singing at Bibb Sunday night.

FELLOW SHIP

Mar. 5th.—There was no church at this place Sunday on the account of rain, which fell at this place Sunday morning.

Mrs. Myrtle Allen happened to an accident Friday, while she was cranking a car it kicked and broke her arm.

Mr. and Ms. Amos Tyson and baby of Brownwood spent Sunday in the home of Mrs. Tyson's parents Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Hicks and family of this community.

Miss Ada Elliott of near Vandyke spent last week with her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Roberts and Mr. and Mrs. Rube Roberts of Comanche spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Tinney and family of this community.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Tate of Comanche spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Allen.

Several from this community attended the play at Harmony Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Johnson of this community spent the week end with relatives and friends of the Vandyke community.

VANDYKE

Mar. 24.—The annual race between weeds and vegetables has begun. The one that believes in the groundhog is liable to get his potatoes frost bitten next fall.

The Downing school girls came over and matched our girls in a game of basket ball Friday afternoon, the score being 12 to 4 in favour of Vandyke.

D. E. Nabers attended the I. O. O. F. at Austin last week, returning home Thursday.

Mrs. Delia Griffith of Atlanta, Ga., is visiting her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. V. H. C. Fritts, also her sister, Mrs. D. E. Nabers of this place and Mrs. W. A. King, of Desdemona, she will leave her to visit her daughter at Plainview, returning home about the middle of April.

The last report from Lewis Rogers, in Drs. Root and McNeal cancer hospital at Indianapolis, Ind. states that he is doing nicely. We hope that he will return home well at an early date. Lewis is a brother of Ed of this community.

Bufford Curley is suffering with a bad bruised foot caused from being caught in a planter wheel.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Adams are the proud parents of a new girl.

INDIAN MOUNTAIN

There are several cases of flu in this community at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Chambers of Stag Creek spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Chambers.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin McDaniel spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Forza Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Chambers and family visited with Mrs. Chambers' mother, Mrs. A. J. Boen of Ranger Sunday.

Mrs. Forrest Taylor spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Maupin.

Mr. and Mrs. Fornza Smith spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Chambers and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Simer spent Wednesday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Luther Dukes.

Mr. Erb Morgan of Sipe Springs spent Friday afternoon with his niece, Mrs. Pearl Westernman.

Miss Pet McDaniel of May spent from Friday until Monday with Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Chambers of Gorman.

Miss Jessie Maupin spent from Saturday until Tuesday with her sister, Mrs. Forrest Taylor of Gorman.

Tommie Collier spent Sunday with Harry Maupin.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Chambers spent Saturday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Anderson of Sipe Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. McDaniel spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Archie Moore.

See us for your hardware, we can save you money.—Durham Bros.

Cloudy weather, good as any—A. D. Backstrom, Photographer.

INDIAN CREEK

Mar. 30.—Several from here attended the county meet at Comanche Friday and Saturday.

Miss Ara Huskey, Mr. Bob Love and Lois attended church at Hebron Sunday.

Miss Selma Zschiesche spent Saturday night with Miss Louara York of Hebron.

Miss Bessie Jones left Friday for Coleman to visit her brother, Rev. Adrian Jones.

Miss Elva Williams spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Thurman McCullough of Hebron.

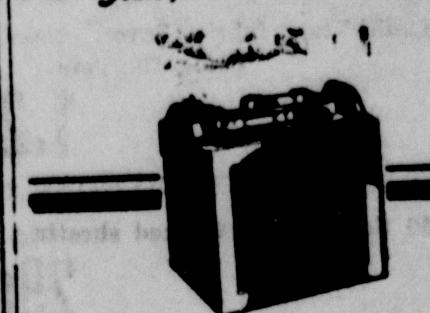
Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Jones, Miss Bessie and Aubrey, Mr. and Mrs. Doc Stewart, Mr. Otis Coker and Mr. Richey attended the revival at Proctor Tuesday night which was conducted by Rev. Asbury McGuire.

Miss Ethel Stewart spent Friday night with Miss Ruby Stewart.

Mr. and Mrs. Doc Stewart and Ruby spent Sunday at Sidney with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Stewart.

Mr. and Mrs. John Banner and Miss Odessa of Gustine spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Winfred Kearney.

Mrs. Jim Johnson and children of Comanche spent Sunday afternoon with her mother, Mrs. N. J. Franklia.

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POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Chief is authorized to announce the following as candidates for the offices named, subject to the action of the Democratic primary:

For County Clerk:

JOHN R. SLAUGHTER.

MISS CLYDE COAN.

J. B. ADCOCK

H. F. HOWINGTON

For District Clerk:

W. H. (Henry) GORE.

For County Treasurer:

MISS IVA HART.

MRS. MAY CAMERON.

MISS FLORENCE STURKIE

For County Judge:

R. A. LUKER.

(Re-election second term.)

For County Attorney,

TOM. F. REESE, (Re-election.)

For Tax Assessor

A. J. McGUIRE, (Re-election),

For Tax Collector.

MRS. J. W. REESE (re-election)

For Justice of Peace, Precinct 1.

J. P. GRAHAM, (Re-election)

For County Commissioner, Precinct 1

D. L. MORRIS, (Re-election.)

J. B. PAYNE

W. S. BEENE,

ALEX. FAULKNER.

For Commissioner Precinct No. 2.

J. T. MOODY (re-election)

For County Commissioner Precinct 3

E. C. ESTES, (Re-election.)

For Commissioner Precinct 4.

N. NABORS

For Sheriff.

J. T. GILBREATH (re-election)

J. E. (Tonk) HULSEY

For County Superintendent.

H. L. GANTZ (re-election)

For Representative, 104th District.

THOS. J. RENFRO Re-election.

For District Attorney, 52 Judicial District.

JESSE C. SHIPMAN, of Hamilton, (re-election)

HOW TO PREACH

WITHOUT RESULTS.

Editor Chief:

The following rules were given by Chas. G. Finney a half century ago.

Do they not hold good in our day as in his?

"Let your supreme motive be Popularity, rather than Salvation."

"Study to please your congregation and to make a reputation, rather than to please God."

"Take up popular, passing and sensational themes to draw the crowd, and avoid the essential doctrines of Salvation."

"Denounce sin in abstract, but pass lightly over sins that prevail in your congregation."

"If asked, is it wrong to dance, play cards and attend the theater, answer very pleasantly 'Oh, that is a matter of private judgement. It is not for me to say you shall or shall not.'"

"Preach on the loveliness of virtue and the glory of heaven, but not on the sinfulness of sin and the terrors of hell."

"Reprove the sins of the absent, but make those who are present pleased with themselves so that they will enjoy the sermon and not go away with their feelings hurt."

"Make the impression on worldly church members that God is too good to send anyone to hell, even if there is any hell."

"Preach the universal Fatherhood of God and brotherhood of men, so as to show that no second birth is really needed."

"Do not rebuke the worldliness of the church, but fall in with the amusement policy, instead of meeting for prayer, let the people sit down to eat and drink and rise up to play."

"Avoid seriousness, alarm, and earnest efforts to pull sinners out of the fire, and the old fashioned idea that the church is a rescue mission."

"These principles and practices have been tried and the results are sadly apparent."—J. E. Thompson.

No Abounding Prosperity.

To The Chief:

We see much in the papers today about abounding prosperity. We have not got prosperity. There are two necessary elements in economic life, the producer on one side and the consumer on the other. Each is necessary to the other. And between them is the comparatively small army of middle men, usually spoken of as "big business," engaged in all the many things necessary to distribute the products to the consumer.

There are two facts at present confronting us: 1. The prices received by the producer are very low; 2. The price being paid by consumer are extremely high. There can be no real prosperity under such conditions.

Is not this the real truth, that all the talk abounding prosperity is coffin from those distributing the products to the consumers? And is not their sole idea of prosperity simply that the business of distribution be working good? They know the size of the army of producers and that a certain amount will be produced for them to distribute, regardless of the price. Also they know the size of the army of consumers and the amount the will consume. Knowing these two things they, the manufacturers, financiers, carriers, wholesalers, brokers, etc. are able to organize and to operate their forces so as to make good profits for themselves on the distribution. When they are able to do this as they are at this time, they call it abounding prosperity. It is prosperity for them only.

The distributors have entire control of the United States Government at present and thus secure any and all such laws, especially tariff laws, as are for the advantage of distribution. They have generally had such control, and so used it, every since the Civil War. They have been able to do this, regardless of the interests of producers or consumers; because their leaders are small in numbers, mostly live in cities, enabling more easily to organize and co-operate, and their wits are sharpened in the contest for such advantages. Also they have more money; for they are able to put on their profit, regardless of what the producer receives. With their money they are able to get the best talent to assist them.

The distributing class is necessary. There must be those to take what the producer makes and distribute it to those who want it. Both production and consumption would be helpless without distribution. Distribution ought to prosper. But when production is not prospering, and when distribution is prospering, and consumption is paying extremely high, necessarily distribution is getting too much the advantage. It is using its control of the government for that purpose. The prosperity is confined to its own small circle.—Y. W. Holmes.

GUM SPRINGS

March 29.—We are having some very disagreeable weather 'at this writing.

Mrs. Myrtle Selley of Marlow, Okla. is visiting her mother, Mrs. C. W. Kerley.

A number of friends and relatives gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Kerley Wednesday night which was enjoyed by all.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Jackson of Waco visited Mrs. Jackson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Kerley.

Mr. A. J. Williford and Uncle Billie Kerley visited relatives in Waco from Saturday until Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Everetts visited her mother of Board Church Sunday night.

Mrs. Henry Stevenson has been very ill with appendicitis.

Mr. and Mrs. Everetts visited Mr. and Mrs. W. H. C. Fritts Sunday.

Several of the young people of this community were present at the night.

Mr. Tom Reid and family visited in Comanche Sunday.

For light housekeeping suite, phone 320.

ROWLAND'S BIG MESSAGE

This week we are offering some bigger bargains because we have just received from the markets some big juicy bargains and we found many of them when we were on our big buying trip a few days ago.

We are glad to pass these bargains on to our customers and describe some of them in this ad and say to you that it will pay you to come to ROWLAND'S—see what is here for you.

BIG BARGAIN—

Just received 144 nice china cups, slightly nicked, but we throw them out as long as they last at

each -----10c

We have a big lot of fine valv laces, regular 10c values, we offer them at per yard -----5c

Just received 600 pieces of standard classic and operatic music, per piece -----15c

Another big shipment of fresh chocolate drop candy big value per pound -----19c

Ladies best silk hose in the world for the price, we offer them at pair -----50c

Ladies' Men's Misses and boys large straw hats, 200 of them at each -----50c

Hat flowers of all kinds, in new colors, now is the time to get them at 15c to -----25c

REAL VALUE—

We have 300 big white china dinner plates that we offer while they last at each -----15c

Flower seeds of all kinds, and the yought to be planted now, package 5c, 10c to 15c.

One lot of very best canned soup, we offer while it lasts at per can -----10c

Big bar white laundry soap it is the best soap, and we offer it at 10 bars for 39c

Rip 12 and 14 oz ice tea glasses, fine for spring and summer use, each -----15c

Shoe polish, the best in the world for the price, why may more? It is here for you at 10c, 15c and 25c

Buter paper, big roll of 30 sheets sold here at per roll only, -----5c

This store serves you the right way. We ask you to bring your friends here and show them this store. We are glad to have you meet your friends here. If you want to see a full house, then come here, for all the room is well filled to overflowing and signs speak values to you—

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A. & M. COLLEGE STUDENTS STUDYING COOPERATIVE MARKETING

Instructors and senior students in the Agricultural and Mechanical College are giving major consideration to cotton co-operative marketing, such as is well known throughout Comanche county in the operation of the Farm Bureau, according to G. R. Pratt, county secretary of the Co-

manche county Farm Bureau. "Last week," he said, "a large group of students and instructors spent several days at headquarters of the Texas Farm Bureau Cotton Association in a study of the movement and the various services rendered the membership. These students have already had three years of agricultural administration and are now specializing upon cotton co-operative marketing and accounting."

MONDAY AND TUESDAY—APRIL 12-13—

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Marion Davis in her greatest triumph, shows herself a superb comedienne. She will make you roar with glee, then move you to tears.

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WED—APRIL 14

NORMAN SHEARER

—In—

"HIS SECRETARY"

SAT.—APR 17

HOOT GIBSON

—In—

"THE SPOOK RANCH"

THURSDAY AND FRIDAY, —APRIL 15-16

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